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HONGRONG, WELINESDAY, JUNE 81H, 1887.

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SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS. June 7. GENERAL WERDER, German steamer, 1,519. W. Schuckmann, Nagasaki 3rd June, Mails and General. - MELCHERS & Co. S. Lt. & Co.

June 7. HAILOONG, British steamer, 227, T. Hall, Tamsui, Amoy and Swatow 6th June, General.-Douglas Laprair & Co. June 7, Sachsen, German steamer, 2,874. Ad. Juegor, Shanghai 5th June, Mails and General. - MELCHERS & Co.

CLEARANCES. AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. 7TH JUNE.

Woosung, British str., for Foochow. Parthia, British str., for Kobe. Mosser, British str., for Kuchinetzu. Greyhound, British str., for Honow. Heinrich, German bark, for London, Marie, German str., for Haiphong. Decima, German str., for Bangkok.

DEPARTURES. Inne 7. Jason, British str., for Shanghai. June 7, PEKING, British str., for Shanghai.

June 7, Don Juan, Spanish str., for Manila. June 7, Hairhong, British str., for East Coast. June 7, Swatow, British str., for Tientsin. June 7, PARTHIA, British str., for Kobe. June 7, Lillian, Hawaiian bk., for Honolulu.

PASSENGERS.

Per Hailoong, str., from Tamsui, &c.—50 Chi-

Per Sachsen, str. from Shanghai.-Messrs. Fleischer, P. Bukow, N. Kuhne, K. Flreich, Carnul, G. Jolly, and 6 Chinese. Per. General Werder, str., from Yokohama.-For Hongkong.—Najor N. Chaytor, Miss Field, Miss Brown, Messrs. M. Smith, K. Murai, H. E. Brandt, F. Kusaka, Ito Scijire, T. Ainoski, M. leaba. M. Mitsutara, N. Yamada, and S. Joseph, and 3 Chinese. For Trieste. Capts. C. Igut-chie and K. Yamagutchie. For some hoop on. Capt. A. W. Ingmann. For Bronden .- Mr. R. Smilig. For Genoa.—Count Madaudavia, Consul General Kempermann, Dr. T. Ishigure, Dr.
1. Ito, Dr. F. Disse, Prof. K. Tagutchi, Messra.
W. Campbell and F. E. Brown.

Per Haiphong, str., for Tamsui via Amoy.-tr. and Mrs. Bryant. Per Parthia, str., for Yokohama -- Mr. August ammelsdorff, Miss Bullock Webster; Miss lorgan, and 4 steerage. For Liverpool.—Marquis and Marchioness of Huntley and 2 servants, Mr. Geo. D. MacKay, and 97 Chinese.

DEPARTED.

TO DEPART. Per Marie, str., for Haiphong.—Mr. Reynand, and 32 Chinese.

REPORTS.

The British steamer Hailanna, from Tamsui. Amov, and Swatow 6th June, reports from Tamsui to Amoy had light southerly winds and fine weather. From Amoy to Swatow calm and fine weather. From Swatow to Hongkong light S.W. winds and fine weather. In Swatow str. Kwonysany.

SHANGHAI SHIPPING.

26. Kiangteen, Chinese str., from Ningpo. 26, Ngankin, British str., from Hankow. 26. L ongwha, British 3-m. sch, from Ningpo. 26 Perle, British bark, from Bangkok. 26. W. C. de Vries, British str., from Hankow, 27. 1chang, British str., from Ningpo. 27, Kung Wo, British str., from Hankow. 27. Taiwan, British str., from Swatow. 27, Sikh, British str., from Sydney. 28. Canton, British str., from Hongkong. 28, Amoy, British str., from Hongkong. 28. Kwang-lee, Chinese str., from Hongkong. 28. Poo-chi, Chinese str., from Chefoo. 28. Kiang-yung, Chinese str., from Hankow. 28, Kinng-teen, Chinese str., from Ningpo. 28 Tungchow, British str., from Tientsin. 28. Wha-on, British str., from Hankow. 28, Nanzing, British steamer, from Foochow. 28. Chihaya Maru, Jap. bark, from K'notzu. 29. Ichang, British str., from Ningpo. 29. Waylee, Chinese str., from Tamani. 29. Oceanien, French str., from Hongkong. 29 Hae-ting, Chinese str., from Tiontsin. 29, Activa, German str., from Nagasaki. 29 Spochow, British str., from Swatow. 29, Shanghai, British str., from Hankow. 29. El Dorado, British str., from Tientsin 29. Pautah, Chinese str., from Tientsin. 29. Martha, British bark, from Sydney. 30, Taiwo, British str., from Hankow. 30. Sual, British str., from Hankow. 30, Nierstein, German str., from Tientsin. 30. Chow-chow-foo, Ger. str., from Swatow. 30, Feilung, British str., from Swatow. 30, Merlin, British g.b., from Hongkong. 30. Yokohama-maru, Jap. str., from Japan. 31. Kiangteen, Chinese str., from Ningpo. 31, Kiang-yu, Chinese str., from Hankow.

31, Hae-an, Chinese steamer, from Tientsin. 31, Glengyle, British str., from London. Junel. Ichang, British str., from Ningpo. Wuchang, British str., from Tientsin. 1, Ningpo, British str., from Hongkong. DEPARTURES 26. Wismar, German str., for Nagasaki. 26. Bothwell Castle, Brit. str., for Chinkiang. 26, Chin-tung, Chinese str., for Tientsin. 26. Fungshun, Chinese str., for Chefoo. 26, Kutsang, British str., for Swatow. 26, Pao Hua, British str., for Hankow. 26, Woosung, British str., for Amoy. 26. Yuen Wo, British str., for Hankow. 26. King-toen, Chinese str., for Ningpo. 27. Tokio Maru, Japanese str., for Japan. 27. Kiang-foo, Chinese str., for Hankow. 27, Chungking, British str., for Tientsin. 27. Cito, German steamer, for Vladivostock. 27. Ichang, British str., for Ningpo. 27. Primanguet, French corv., for Japan. 27, Alvah, British str., for Knobingtzn. 28. Rosetta, British str. for Hongkong. 28, Ngankin, British str., for Hankow. 28, Paking, British str., for Hongkong. 28. Sin Nanzing, British str., for Chefoo. 28. Hideyeshi-maru, Jap. str., for Kuchinetzu. 28, Johann, German str., for Kelning. 28, Lennox, British str., for New York 28, Lennie Burrill, British ship, for Iloilo. 28-Kinng-teen, Chinese str., for Ningpo. 29. Fuh Wo, British str., for Hankow. 29, Pelemachus, British str., for Hongkong. 29, W. C. de Vries, British str., for Hankow. 29, Hampshire, British str., for Kobe. 29, Poochi, Chinase str., for Chefoo. 29, Benvenue, British str., for Hankow. 29. Kumasaku Maru, Jap. bark, for K'notzu. 29, Canton, British steamer, for Swatow. 30, Ichang, British str., for Ningpo. 30. Activa, German str., for Nagasaki. 31, Patroclus, British str., for Foodhow.

31, El Dorado, British str., for Chefoo. 1, Amoy, British str., for Hongkong. 1, Kwang lee, Chinese str., for Swatow. 1. Nanzing, British str., for Hongkong. 1. Shanghai, British str., for Hankow. 1. Socchow, British str., for Chergo. British str., for Hankov, , Labrace, in High edr., for Ningmo.

3). Nierstein, German str., for Tientsin.

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31. Kiang-teen, Chinese str., for Ningpo.

31, Kiang yang. Chinese str., for Hankow.

31, Tungchow, British str., for Tientsin.

31 Pantah, Chinese str., for Chefoo.

31. Taku, British str., for Foochow.

31, Omega, British bark for Chefoo.

31. Chow-chow-foo, Gorman str., for Tientsin.

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Hongkong, 5th June, 1887.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 6th June, 1887. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. ONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer are hereby notified that the Cargo is being discharged into Craft, and/or landed at the Go-

the 6th inst. Goods undelivered after the 13th inst., wi he subject to Rent. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 6th June, 1887.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. ✓ NONSIGNEES of the following Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the undersigned for countersignature, and

take immediate delivery. This Cargo has been landed and stored at their risk and expense. No Fire Insurance has been effected. . Ex "YOROUBA" and " SAGHALIEN." LS (in diamond) No. 16=1 case Locks. R (in diamond) No. 194-1 case Cottons.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent. Hongkong, 2nd June, 1887.

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CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY. LIMITED. One of the steam vessels of the above Companies is appointed to leave Hongkong for T Australian Ports every nine days. When the

9 June | 18th June | 27th June.

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following conditions, viz :--. The Lot will be put up at an apset price • —The Lotshall be knocked down to the highest

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will soon have the opportunity of again hearing

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nese squadron left-for Port Hamilton the follow-

ing day. It is generally believed in Korea that

China is contemplating a course of diplomatic ac-

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The Shen-pao has a thoughtful article upon

The Nagasaki Express of the 1st inst. gives

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at a fee, say of \$1, good for three months. The

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of note that a plant grows on the hill which has

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H.M.S. Constance, aged 39 years.

Наможойа, Јине 8ти, 1987.

WHEN the Chinese Government began to send students abroad to be educated, great The LIST OF RESIDENTS now contains | things were expected from the enlightenmentand acquaintance with Western civilization which were thus to be introduced into the administration of affairs in the Middle 15th instant. Kingdom. The realization has not answered the expectation. The students have not failed to exercise an influence for good, but the sphere of that influence has been a comparatively small one. The reason for this is tion in Korea, which, if carried out, cannot fail to not far to seek. Young men fresh from, college could not be placed in charge of departments, and the posts to which they were appointed were necessarily sub-PLAN OF TOWN AND ENVIRONS OF SINGAPORE. CODSERVATIVE nature and ill-disposed towards any new fangled ideas that the young men might wish to air. A touch of jealoùsy also no doubt entered into the mat

ter. The returned students were conse-

quently treated with scant favour; in some cases, indeed, they had to brook considerable harshness and insult, and were put to work which was little more than drudgery and in which their foreign eduestion was calculated to be of little use. Scales of Commissions and Charges adopted by The intentions of the Imperial Government inherited a hereditary knighthood (yunch'iya) were thus defeated. A new departure has from his late distinguished father as well as a now been taken which we trust will have marquisate. The Board of Revenue have accord ingly been requested to ascertain how much back better results. This is nothing less than pay or pension is due to the Marquis under his sending Mandarins themselves abroad knighthood. of closely printed matter, to which reference is to study foreign institutions. The rules having commercial or political relations with the under which they are to travel have just the subject of Japanese treaty revision, in which been published. The expenses of the the question of China's isolated position is disembassies abroad are being curtailed cussed. The practice of using torture in order to ous to recapitulate in an Advertisement, but by some Tls. 40,000 per annum, and this and it is plainly hinted that China must mend sum is to be devoted to the expenses of the her ways in this matter if she is to stand on a travelling officials. Ten or twelve are to be footing with the general body of civilised nations sent at present, exclusive of the interpreters | Daily News. who are to accompany them. It is stated in the regulations that "Among the many offi- the following naval intelligence:-The Russian cials from the different yamens who wish to gun-beat Alcout arrived from Hongkong on the upon radical reforms in the administration of go abroad, undoubtedly there are those who are both ambitious and talented, but there French cruiser Primonguet arrived from Bhang-

Vestnik from the same port on the 30th. The are also those who, although possessing hai on the 29th, and left again for Kobe and Yokohama on the 30th. Men of-war in harbour great ambition, yet have but little ability, at date are H.B.M.S. Hereine; H.I.R.M.S. and can scarcely gain a close insight into Dimitri Donskei, Rynda, Vitias, Vestnik, Bobre, foreign affairs." Precautions are accordingly to be taken to select suitable men. They By the provisions of the Government measure are to be allowed a stipend of Tls. 200 a to amend the Chinese Immigration Act the promonth, in addition to travelling expenses, vince of British Columbia will receive yearly and are to be entitled to the services of one-fourth of the net proceeds of the per capita an interpreter at a monthly salary of Tls. tax of \$50. Certificates will be issued to the Chinese desiring to return to their native land 50, such interpreters to be selected from the students of Tung Men College at Peking, attempt to personate a certificate-holder is the Arsenal School at Shanghai, the Naval punishable by a fine of \$500 or imprisonment School at Foothow, and the Tung Wen Kuan at Canton. They are to remain abroad two years, at the Government China Review, Mr. G. Taylor says:-It is worthy the curious faculty of causing blindness in buffaexpense, but may remain longer if they like to do so at their own cost. The follow- loss eating it. Those animals are therefore careing are amongst the rules laid down :--9.—In the course of his travelling, the official should carefully notice and record for future reference the importance of the places he visits, their defensive

strength, their distances from each other, their customs, politics, marine fortifications, aroenals, steam in the surrounding districts. craft, railways, tornedoes, artillery, etc. 10. - With regard to the western languages and the various sciences such as astronomy, mathematics, chemistry, electricity, surveying, and collateral auction on Monday afternoon. Lot No. 963, on hereunder, landed property in this Colony to the art of the Star Chamber and the Inquisibranches, should an official have a predilection for the Peak-road, near the Albany, containing extent of millions of dollars will be sacrificed. Those who advance this arctioned had any one of them, and make a close study of it while 94,375 square feet, annual rent \$434, was bought | vested interests greatly interfered with, and tion. Those who advance this argument had abroad, he shall write a book of the researches thus made, and submit it to the Taung-li Yamen for examination.

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Two years is not a long time in which to learn professions, master mechanical arts, who thoroughly recognises the advantages of acquaintance with foreign countries, their laws and institutions and their mechanical

WITH the thermometer well up in the eighties and a long chair in the evening than on ining Society when the advent of the next cool was well pleased. We wish the happy couple that threatens to interfere with their rights and are willing and the case of the serious measure again the ten foot back, yards are referred to. feasibility of forming a Literary and Debat- fulfilled the function of bridesmaids. The whole terest I am bound to protect, knew nothing of tence. The labour market is always in excess of

season shall enable us to shake off the torper long life and prosperity - Chinese Times.

steamer Parthia, for Liverpool.

us with surprise that Hongkong, which holds its own so well in athletics, should be so far behind its neighbours in outward signs of intellectual vigour. 2 At Shanghai, Singapore, and Peking, Debating Societies flourish. One would doubtless flourish equally well here if it were started. have been led to make these remarks by perusal of the annual report of the Shang- the meeting by Mr. Brenan, amid great applause, from the public at large, otherwise its recomsent, or would send, presents and congratulations public interest. I do not think that the position N. C. Daily News mays this " is one of the to the Queen. The following Committee was of a public body is anything the worse by having elected :- Messrs. Bronan. Irwin, Cousins, Ro- free and unrestrained public discussion on its most satisfactory local documents that we binson, Dickinson, Smith, Spooner, G. Forbes, proceedings and deliberations. It loses nothing have read for a long time. Three years ago and Bennett. Th it was predicted that the Society would soon

From Ningpo we (N. U. Daily News) hear on good authority that H.E. Li Hung-chang's proclamation, calling on the people to subscribe for Railway shares, meets with no response except from the high officials. The local gentry and cule was thrown upon it in its early years, merchants shake their heads, and over that the but it has gallantly emerged from the bath | matter is beyond their comprehension, and that until its motto might be now, merses prowhich is that they want better security than the fundo, pulchrior evenit. It survived easily Viceroy's promises, as no official, however powerful, is competent to fetter his successor in office. the splitting-off of a portion of its member-Guild credit is the only credit that the people ship to form the Young Men's Christian trust. A Cantonese in a good official position Ningpo is of opinion that the only people likely to take up shares are his own countrymen. They are more enterprising are anxious to see railways introduced, and are better able than those and address with communications addressed to the \$1,800 show, one of the most stable and in other provinces to bring pressure on the Govits engagements.

> fell into the water and was drowned. The second officer of the Taichow, in the course of his evidence, stated that though the boat to which depiece of heard towards him. The Taichow had not time to lower a boat to rescue the man, nor did they attempt to do so as there were several boats May and left again for a short cruise on the 31st. close round deceased. He also said that the accident was not caused, as had been stated by The Agents (Mesers. D. Sassoon, Sons & Co.) the friends of the deceased, by the Water Police | tional differences between a native of China and inform us that the steamer Arrateon Apear, from rashing at him and frightening him overboard. It is reported from Kores, says the Nagasaki Express, that Messrs. Meyer & Co. have con-

verdict of accidental death. The local colebration of Her Britannic Wajesty's | where the funeral service was performed by Ray, | Besides, does not common sense alone indicate to Jubilee will take place to-day, in the form of a C Le P. T. Heastop, chaplain of the Constance, us the advisability of legislating especially in general holiday, a pic-nic at Pappenburg during with whom were Bishop Bickersteth and the Rev. many cases to suit circumstances and surround-

the day, and an illumination at night. In the E. C. Irwine. Minute guns were fired from inge? event of the elements being favourable to the the Constance during the ceremony. The usual The Peking correspondent of the Shên-pao saki, Mr. N. Mitsuhashi, as representing the says that the Board of War has just made the Covernor of Kanacawa, and other officials. Rain discovery that the Marquis Tsing should have full heavily during the ceremony.

> REUTER'S TELEBRAMS. SUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS." LONDON, 4th June. LORD RANDOLPH CHURCHILL ON

NAVAL AND MILITARY EXPENDITURE. Lord Randolph Churchill, in a speech, has

stated that in despite of the enormous outlays of money England is wholly unprepared for war, and he recounted, in support of his statement. instances of flagrant abuses in both the War and Admiralty departments. He appealed to the Democratic party in vigorous terms to insist 28th May, and was followed by the corvette these two departments of the Government.

POLICE COURT. 7th June.

- BEFORE MR. E. MACKEAN. SELLING ADULTERATED MILK. Chan Aming, of 30, Cochrane Street, Wa

per cent. of water. He was fined \$30 or three months' imprisonment with hard labour. The fine was paid.

agencies for the sale of tsz-fa lottery tickets. Two of the defendants were fined \$15 each and the third \$25.

THE PUBLIC HEALTH BILL.

Health Bill, submitted to the Government by more improvements are required, let those who fully kept away from the place. None of the the Sanitary Board, and the Board's Rejoinder natives could pick out the particular plant, and the China Review will elucidate the matter. The thereto, which were presented to the Legislative first is that the Chinese are so ignorant of what pepper plant is also found here, although unknown | Council on the 27th May, were circulated yester.

DR. Ho Kar's PROTEST. also on Richmond-road, containing 48,750 square was known, created quite a sensation in this feet, annual rent \$224, was bought by Mr. J. D. Colony. This self-same Bill without modifica-

took place at the French Legation on Wednes- tion its promoters hope for better success. day, 25th May. Dr. Mirabel, Medecin de la Ma- As a member of the Sanitary Board, I regret public constantly go to them for advice; rine, Attaché to the Legation, was married to that the Bill should have been considered by the but then they are so ignorant—let us lethe acquirement of a good deal of general Mademoiselle Couzinet, the niece of His Excel- present Board and not reserved for the new gislate for the total expulsion of Chiknowledge and for the enlargement of the lency the French Minister; and all the world Board, the Municipal Board of Health, the com. ness trained practitioners and forbid all was invited to assist at the ceremony, which they position of which (as its name implies) partakes | Chinese under heavy penalties from consulting | ideas of the travellers, who on their re- did with cordial goodwill as both bride and of a more representative character. I further anyone but European doctors. (3.) Many Chinese NORTHERN & Hall & Holtz Co-operative Co. turn ought to be able to render good bridegroom are very popular in Peking. II. Trading Co. turn ought to be able to render good bridegroom are very popular in Peking. II. The scheme no bridegroom are very popular in Peking. II. The schem brilliant. The display of presents at the French true that the Sanitary Board consider this Bill one to abstain from opium smoking. I may mul-Legation was extremely pretty and interesting, with the view of recommendation only, and not tiply examples, but these will show what I mean. dess than our dust-laden __ital. At the chapel recommendations of the Sanitary Board, it does wrought by means of harsh and sweeping legisconstorts above alluded to, may be disposed bridegroom were his naval uniform. Madame my supporters outside the Board, while those are close to the mainland, where thousands of to turn over in their minds the propriety and | Huart and her two little children most prettily | whom I am supposed to represent and whose in poor Chinese are struggling for a bare subsis-

The Marquis and Marchioness of Huntley aware of some of the reasons with lead to the higher wages on account of increased rent and left here yesterday by the Canadian Pacific consideration of this Bill in physic and con- less house accommodation will be supplanted fidential sittings, the chief, being that it was by those who will, be content with less. inadvisable to excite unnecessary public feelings For example, if a man gots, say, \$15 a At a meeting of British residents held at and adverse criticism and discussion on the pro- month and has to pay \$5 per month for two the 9th ultimo requesting to be farnished with Tientsin it was resolved to celebrate the Queen's visions of a Bill which might each or all be small rooms for his wife and children and \$10 | the observations of the Sanitary Board on Dr. Jubilee on June 21st by a little entertainment | modified in its passage through the Sanitary for food and clothing. Sc., but on account of higher | Ho Kai's Protest against the Public Health Bill, (fête champetre) at the Yang Heing Yuen grounds Board. But a little careful consideration will rent he has to pay \$6, for the same two rooms we have the honour to inform you that although in the afternoon; and in the evening to take ad show the absurdity of this position. As far as smaller than before on account of the sacrifice of none of us were able to educate the correctness of vantage of the well-timed proposal of the Muni- this Bill is concerned, the Sanitary Board has building for backyard and other spaces, he would, Dr. He Kai's alleged facts or deductions, we did cipal Conneil to open the new recreation ground, been constituted or has constituted itself the according to the law laid down above demand not consider ourselves called upon—in forwarding

but may gain a great deal of useful information and wisdom, unless it thinks that its members are infallible and its wisdom supreme-a doctrine worthy of the Grand Inquisition of the dark middle ages. Public comment and criticism, I submit, are necessary in this case as well as in any other case, and those who dread these should not be- force its various provisions and Bye-laws. It Bill will sacrifice property to the extent of milcome the Champions of the Bill; and moreover, does not provide for adequate compensation in lions of dollars, that it will greatly interfere matter is beyond their comprehension, and that my experience as a member of the Sanitary every case. Surely if the public is to be bone—with vested interests and shake public confidence they want further explanations; the meaning of Board convinces me that in many instances fited by a large sacrifice of property, the sacri- to its foundations, but as a careful perusal of his which is that they want better security than the public opinion and testimony are urgently re- fice should not fall on the shoulders of particular paper fails to disclose how these disastrons conquired to correct misunderstandings and indivi- individuals but on all alike. It is always easy to sequences are to be brought about, this statedual convictions and beliefs. I faucy I have make free with other people's property, but when ment, being a more assertion, calls for no comheard mentioned more than once that the Sani- the thing touches our own pockets we may not be ment from us. tary Board is a scientific body, and all it has to quite so ready to carry out our best intentions 4.—From the statement which next follows consider is purely a matter of Sanitary science, and scientific views. I do not think it is a wise the reader would infer that the Public Health indeed I have been asked repeatedly when offer- policy of any Government, especially when it Bill had been withdrawn from the Legislative ing some opposition to a clause in the Bill, whe- is not of a representative character, to legislate Council and relegated to the Sanitary Board ther as a medical man and a scientist, I did not arbitrarily concerning the property of its subjects, with a view to imparting to the measure some consider that such and such a thing was desir- and particularly when such measures involve so element of popularity. This statement, which ernment, if it shows a tendency to go back on able and even necessary. My answer has always large a sacrifiee of property. It shakes public is scarcely respectful to the Legislature, appears

An inquest was held at the Magistracy yes. tary Board a scientific as well as practical body thing which may not affect those who have than at the Sanitary Board, and we leave it terday on the body of Ng Wai, who was drowned of men? Are we mat together to discuss matterring on the body of Ng Wai, who was drowned of the sufficient to excite alarm in the minds of those regards the Board we should stafe that when we advertisements and Subscriptions which are not redered for a fixed period will be continued until etructive, and constantly amusing." The men boarded the steamer Tuickow before she had of any scientific importance put forward to the future welfare of the Colony at heart. In the Public Houlth Bill, we were well aware that membership during the year has increased got to her moorings. Seeing the Police launch membership during the year has increased got to her moorings. Seeing the Police launch membership during the year has increased got to her moorings. Seeing the Police launch membership during the year has increased got to her moorings. from 83 to 184, which shows the popularity coming in the direction of the yeasel they began advanced of the resting and more to clamber back into their boat when deceased more perfect and more scientific. I would adand a cow, a garden, a conservatory and what who get the benefit of the rise should sacrifice | building clauses were withdrawn and recast by made no attempt to save him, beyond throwing a as well, then I would oppose the many provisions. Are there no landlords who paid the present Public Health Ordinance should be limited pureare constantly making the mistake of treating held land for twenty years on the stretch? Even while the Building Ordinance was to be worked Chinese as if they were Europeaus. They

Calcutta, left Singapore yesterday for this port. There were no police on the vessel till after the for the differences of habits, usage, mode of livaccident had occurred. The jury returned a ling and a host of other things between the two. They insist upon the theory of treating all nationalities slike, however much they may differ We regret to announce the death of Captain from one another physically, mentally, and convernment \$1,000,000, for the term of six years, Seymonr H. P. Dacres, of H.M.S. Constance, stitutionally. Hence arise the several provisions which took place at Yokohama on the morning of in this Ordinance and Bye-laws in question Japan Mail says:—Captain Dacres, spent three wholly unnecessary. One might as well insist copy of them, most provisions having been copied with closed droves. It will be obvious to His Exthe 23th May in the British Naval Hospital. The which I have no hesitation in characterising as weeks in Miyanoshita after the arrival of the that all Chinese should eat bread and beefsteak Constance at Yokohama, with the object of sock- instead of rice and pork, just because the two ing relief from an illness from which he had been former articles agree better than the latter with hai and in Japan, and will re-open here on the suffering for some time. The baths, however, an English stomach. One favourite argument seemed to afford little benefit, and on 19th May must here be stated and refuted. It has been he experienced a stroke of paralysis which led stated by some advocates of this Bill that the his medical adviser to order his removal to the Government is always adverse to anything like tion. If we are to adopt all English local Acts hands of the Legislature. Naval Hospital at Yokohama, where he arrived class legislation and that any recommendation of Parliament as our law, why need we a sept 7.—Vext-en-ment a disquisition on practical as the following day. At first an improvement was of the Sanitary Board to that effect would not rate Lagislative Council? There is no doubt against theoretical public sanitary Board to that noticeable in his condition, but a change for the likely be entertained. This I must confess does some English Acts which we shall all be glad theoretical point of view Dr. Ho Kui says that worse occurred on the 27th and, acute meningitis remind one of old times when all class legisla- to have introduced here, such as the Press law for in framing the provisions of this Bill, he would supervening, he became unconscious, and died as tion was carnestly sought for to be abolished, example, still every new law should be modified have gone further than the Brand, yet in the we have stated on the 28th. The funeral of the but with what results I need not mention, and adapted to suit local surroundings and redeceased gentleman took place on the 29th. Look over our local Ordinances, how many quirements. To my mind the very fact of the Bill as framed by the Board are "managestary, The Chinese Times says: -We have the un- Shortly after 4 o'clock the coffin, surmounted | there are still in force which make clear distincusual spectacle of some half-dozen 'rickshas ply- by the deceased officer's swords and account- tions between Chinese and Europeans. It would ing for hire in various parts of Peking. It is rements and a number of wreaths, was only be a wasting of time to quote instances. success or failure of the scheme, but it may be placed on a gun carriage. Preceded by a large our promise given while this Colony was yot in this little Island with England, think of the ridi- you to paragraghs 5.6, and 7 of the lotter of the served were with rare exceptions of a doubted if a carriage so light as the 'ricksha can firing party from the Leander and Constance, its infancy, viz., to govern them as much as posrun for long through the bogs and morasses of with arms reversed, and by the Brad of the sible in accordance with their manners and can we really spare the comparatively vast pure- it is set forth that in consequence of the high U.S.S. Brooklyn, and followed by the public, oustoms, and to respect their religion and preand other detachments of sailors and marines, judices, we must of a necessity modify our laws a rapidly growing population? Again, consider had had to take a practical view of the requise-The Nagasaki Express of the 1st inst. says: - the coffin was then conveyed to the Comptery, in order to meet their peculiar requirements.

> From an economical point of view, the idea of carrying out of the proposed programme, we three volleys were then fired over the grave. sacrificing the millions of square feet at an have no doubt that a very enjoyable day will be Among these present were Sir Francis Plunkett, average price of \$5 to \$7 per square foot is even H.B.M. Minister, and several members of the more ridiculous. What is this enforced sacrifice diplomatic, body, Mr. Kusaka, prefect of Naga- for P Simply for the sake of a theory that the Chinese public require all such Sauitary improvem into to promote their health and welfare.

> > matter. I have often been told that I was almost confident that the public at large, without distinction of races, will support me in most of my contentions. I was often charged also with looking too exclusively after the interest of landlords, but I always denied that charge. I do not only represent the interest of landlord, and personally I am not a landlord, I care for the tenants as much as the landlords, and the poor as well as the rich. It is not for the welfare of the poor to have the valuable space occupied by their small rooms parrowed, in order to provide for a model of a privy, a superb kitchen and a sumptions back-

vard of 10 feet wide, while at the same time the wicked landlords continue to charge the same rent or even a higher one for improvements and increased capital necessary to eff ot such improvements. I am not aware of any law, except in Ireland perhaps, which will compel landlords to lower their rent to an equitably low amount. Perhaps such law will be enacted here, but for the present at all events, all landlords, like everybody else, will want to get from 7 to 8 per cent net interest on their capital. What is the price of land now per square foot? In the central and most populous parts of China-town like Queen's Road Central, and Bonham Strand convicted of selling milk adulterated with 50 it is something like \$9 or \$10 or more, and even in the more distant and less valuable quarters, it is something like \$3 or \$4. Just fancy the position of the poor touant if this Bill becomes law. He would be forced to pay an enormous rent for less space than before, plus Three men were charged with keeping all sorts of Sanitary improvements which, however good in themselves from a European stand point, they do not care for, and which they think at least their constitutions do not require. They may say that they are habituated to such cities like Canton, Kowloong city, &c., compared to which Hong-kong as it now stands is a paradise, a model of Dr. Ho Kai's protest against 'the Public cleanliness, a perfect Sanitarium, and 'hat if any

advocate it pay for them and not they. Here two adverse arguments must be noticed. The is good for themselves that they must be taught, and forcibly too, by means of severe legislative measures. I hardly expected to hear Three lots of Crown land were put up to By this Ordinance and the Bye-laws made of such an argument, if such it may be termed. anction on Monday afternoon. Lot No. 963, on hereunder, landed property in this Colony to the at the end of the nineteenth century. It re-11.—Upon the return of the officials to China, they, road, containing 35,000 square feet, annual rent nearly all the important provisions of a Building unpleasant upon themselves. Let me give a few shall report to the Tsung-li Yamen the respective \$156, was bought by Mr. F. H. O. Wilson for Ordinance sought to be introduced last year into illustrations of this dangerous but with some they have learned, the mechanical arts \$3,270, \$10 above the upset price; and lot 932, the Legislative Council, and which as soon as persons most plausible argument. (1.) The estatianity, the Chinese are mostly heathens, but as Orders may be sent to Daily Press Office, where throne for the bestowal of honourable positions, and Humphreys for \$2,935, \$10 above the upset price. tions of any importance is now placed under the they are ignorant and should be taught, let us they will sweit the disposal of His Manner of the positions. An imposing and highly interesting function through whose vast influence and recommenda- neso doctors do not know anything about the

doubt owes its origin to the Marquis Tanne, attended en grande tenue, and the effect was really closed doors and under strict confidence. It is fully ignorant—let us legislate and force every and one wondered how they were all got to- of definite legislation; that must rest with the No European will dony that the Chinese urgentgether in an out-of-the-world place - like Government. Still if one takes into account the ly need reform in their religion, their system of Peking. The floral offerings would have done enormous weight and importance which the medicine and their opium smoking habits, but credit to a city more woured of the god- public as well as the Government attach to the who will advocate that such reform should be another bright some was presented. The reli- seem strange that the discussion of an Ordinance lation? Their ignorance should be enlightened gious service was conducted by Bishop Tag- of such a sweeping character and paramount im- no doubt, but not by penal law. The second liabue, who were his mitre and the gor- pertance should not be made public at once, so argument is more reasonable and it is this, that on the acticipation of a whisky and soda geous robes of his office, the brass band of that its progress from the commencement could as habitable rooms get smaller and rents go the Pei-t'ang was in attendance, 18 strong, and be watched by supporters and opponents alike. higher in directly opposite proportion, wages will they discoursed sweet music to the assemblied As it is, its opponents are placed at great dis- get higher too a d that will compensate the poor tellectual exertion. Perhaps, however, some company, with wonderful time and expression. advantage, and as I am only speaking for my tenants. This would be perfectly true, Ladmit, of our readers, while enjoying the creature Flowers in profusion adorned the chapel. The self, I must confess I felt oftentimes my ex- if Hongkong were hundreds of miles away from bride looked charming in her white satin; the tremely difficult position of being isolated from China. But fortunately or unfortunately, we

which is to receive the name of the Viotoria Park adviser of the Government, and in order to be \$16 per month for his services. He would cor- you his Protest—to enter into any controversy in honour of the occasion. It was announced at botter enabled to advise, it should receive advice | tainly succeed in this if there were no one to take | with a colleague, as we apprehended the Governhis place for less, but let us say there are plenty | ment would readily form its own opinions after that Her Imperial Majesty the Empress had mendations may be unsound and against the who will take it for less, then what must the the first perusal of the document. poor man do but to pay the \$6, or resort to over- 2.—As however you now intimate to us the crowding or to stinting himself and his family wish of the Acting Governor to have our views of food and clothing. Now, allow me to ask on the statements advanced by Dr. Ho Kai, we whether building four feet away from remining beg in response to His Ercollency's desire, to walls, the leaving of a ten feet wide backyard and submit the following observations, which will be the establishing of a 3/6 feet brick privy and limited rather to the pointing out of errors and spacious kitchen, are more necessary than food and inconsistencies than to any discussion of the speclothing, or more desirable than overcrowding? | culations and predictions which recur in the Pro I shall speak briefly of the unconstitutional test unsupported by facts, figures, or arguments. and arbitrary way in which this Bill seeks to en- 3.—Dr. Ho. Kai bogins by stating that the

vocate every poor family to have its three acres greatly in value, it is but just that the landlords to the Public Health, and that the reason these not, at the expense of the state or the princely something for the public good. On the face of the meeters as a separate Bill entitled the Buildmerchants and gich landlords. But if practically it this seems reasonable enough, but is it so? ing Act. was because it was intended that the which in my opinion are unnecessary, unecono- price for their land with hard cash? How many ly to matters relating to Health and be worked. micel, and unconstitutional. Some Sanitarians landlords are there now in existence who have under the supervision of the Sanitary Board

> settlement to go for nothing? Why should the consideration of the Bill should not have their profits be lessened more than any others? | been left to the proposed new elective Board to These are questions one has to answer before one be formed under the provisions of the Bill, but can recommend this Bill for the consideration as one of the professed objects of the Bill is to of the Lagislative Council.

favour of this Bill, with its numerous Bye-laws. all until it had first been brought into existence It has been repeated over and over again that by the passage of the Bill into Law. in some large English towns similar Bills have 6 .- Regret is also expressed that the delibebeen passed, and that this is an almost exact rations of the Board should have been conducted word for word, and therefore it must be just colloney, however, that the drufting of legislative and proper-going upon the principle that what | anaetments would become an impossibility, if is good for the goose is good for the gander. In the public were taken into collaboration in the effect whatever laws they may pass at home we task. To us moreover it approved that the promust also pass here. I protest loully against per time for the public discussion and criticism this kind of indiscriminate and servils logisla- of the Bill would be when it had reached the present Bill being copied from the local law of uneconomical, and unconstitutional." We have

England is the strongest argument against its had, as may readily be conceived, some difficulty being passed here without a great many import- in following this line of argument, but whatever ant modifications and alterations. Just compare | may be intended to be conveyed we ber to refer the hilly and rocky nature of Hongkong, how monts of the people rather than a theoretical nearly every house is built as it were on the top one, and that we had therefore had to limit ourof another and how many-high as well as low-re- salves to recommendations which fall very far taining walls there are; is it necessary than that short of English sanitary legislation. almost every house should be built four feet | 8 .- The next remarks indirectly accuse the away from its neighbour, and does not after all Sanitary Board of the error of legislating for my proposition to legislate against inhabiting | Chinese as for Europeans. The accusations we

other securing unanimity and sneeds. tion of good drains in every house and pro- consideration of local conditions and poculiarities, per connections with the public drains; the least cube of space and the least ventilation upon the speedy execution of the scheme to which any habitation may have without becoming carry the sewage matter from the drain- nuhealthy under normal circumstances or withand upon the immediate construction of epidemic disease. ventilating shafts above the drains on the

dredgers if necessary.

pean skilled supervision.

and a bitrary legislation but by the exten- ground. A very great many Chinese tenements and would take years to accomplish. Let such cases on exceptional grounds. without this debatable Ordinance and its State sanitation. Bye-laws introduced and considered in our

various meetings. Dated this 2nd December, 1886, (Signed) Ho KAI, M.B.,

THE BANITARY BOARD'S REJOYNDER Sanitary Board Room, : Hongkong, 1st June, 1887. Sir,-In reply to your letter, No. 1114, of

been and will ever be to this effect—Is the Sani- confidence and drives away capital, a state of however to be levelled more at the Government with those, are the risks they have run and the under that of the Public Works Department. appear to forget that there are wide constitu- services they have rendered as pioneers of this 5.—Regret is expressed by Dr. He Kai that create this new body, it is not clear how the elec-I come now to the strongest argument in tive Board could have considered anothing at

cellars or basement floors underground obviate presume refer to the provisions in the Bill for all difficulties? Once again, the original mode light and ventilation, and for the limitation of of building in most of the English towns is dif- overcrowding. In respect of the overcrowding ferent from that adopted here from the begin- clauses we desire to explain that the minimum ning. With or without prohibitory law and eath of 3 of feat for each adult person was adoptsanitary considerations most English houses of he as in view of that radio entary principle say the Chineseingeneral do not require this sacriand back garden, so that the innovation is not mum of 2,000 entire feet of fresh air per hand certain the views of the Chinese public in this so great to the great majority of the people. must be provided every hour in order to prevent The differences of habits, constitutions, require- the air from becoming fouled by putrescent orments, &c., between the Chinese and English are ganic matters exhaled from the lungs and skin various sections of this Bill, but I was and am also very great arguments against the adoption of the persons living in it. With so reduced an of the English law here without great modified- allowance as 2.000 cubic feet per hour it becomes tions. There is yet another point which has to necessary to change the air at" least ouca be noticed, and that is however sweeping a law every hour in order to enable it to support is in England it is passed by the people through life in health. In these circumstances less than their representatives. The minority bows to 300 cubic feet could not be prescribed by any but not rules the majority, and the people are Sanitary Authority. We submit furthermore consulted before any measure is put forward and | that no home, whether European or native, can bo a healthy home without the light and the In conclusion, I beg to record my strongest facilities for ventilation sought to be secured by objection against this Bill and its Bye laws as a the Bill. These we reiterate fall far short of whole as unnecessary and inefficient. I submit European sanitary provisions on the one hand. that there are better ways for providing the co- while on the other hand nothing has been long with sanitary improvements without on the adduced to warrant the assumption that the one hand shaking public confidence, and on the constitution of the Chinaman is so far different from that of the rest of the human race, that 1.—The first thing I submit is to overhand all his dwelling may do with less light, less air, the public drains, traps, &c., and to put them and less ventilation, than the minimums provided in an efficient and sanitary condition, so in the Bill. Nor has the question of class that all who connect their house drains legislation at all preoccupied us in the framing with them may have no reason to repent. of the measure under criticism. We have 2.—Next we should insist upon the construct simply recommended, after the most careful

> outlets well out into the Sulphur Channel; out becoming a focus of infection in times of 9.—Reference is next made to the absordity hill side, supplied with proper apparatus to of sacrificing "millions of square feet of land destroy the ascending foul air. The provi- averaging six or seven dollars a square foot' sions respecting drainage in this Bill should for the sake of a ten foot back-yard. It is to certainly be enforced, with a few alterations. | the provision of this back-yard that we under-3.—Let the people have a free and abundant | stand Dr. He Kai chiefly takes exception His supply of water, without which no cleanli- objection appears to be based on two separate grounds:-(I) that the Chinese do not require

> 4.—Let the foreshore be thoroughly cleared of the house-ventilation and light which the backall rubbish and decayed matter, not by only | yard is designed to secure them, and (II) that one small dredger but by even half-a-dozen | the tenant will be forced to pay the landlord an "enormous" rent for less space. In the proced-.-Let building operations where the turning | ing paragraph we have dealt with the first obover of virgin soil is necessary, he confined jection, and with regard to the second we beg to the few cold and dry months is the winter. | to call your attention to the opening sentence 6.-Let all low and swampy grounds be filled of the Protest, wherein Dr. Ho Kai states that in and planted over with trees of such a kind | the Bill will sacrifice millions of dollars worth as to permit the rays of the sun to penetrate of property. This sacrifice of landed property to the ground underneath their foliage. | was to have been suffered by the landlords, but 7.—Let a strictor system be established for now-from the theory of enormous rents for the removal of filth and excreta from the less space to be paid by the tenants-we gather Colony, and let the workmen sugaged in this that the landfords are to recoups themselves work be placed under more numerous Euro- from the tenants and that after all there is to be no sacrifice of millious on the part of property 8.-What is more important of all is the pre- owners. The two statements are clearly antavention of overcrowding not by compulsory gonistic, and one or the other must fall to the

sion of the town east and west. For this in Hongkong actually have back-yards or smoke. purpose let us endeavour to procure a con- holes as they are called, five feet wide. In many tinuous road along the Praya, open new tenements these places are six feet wide, and in building sites, facilitate the requirement of some they are actually seven and eight feet small lots for building purposes, and con- wide. The provision of the minimum of ten feet, nect the two extremities of the island with for the width of a back-yard is not therefore a tramway. By these means people will of the enormously exaggerated importance made. not overcrowd as long as there are quick, out by Dr. Ho Kai, for the extra width preeasy, and inexpensive means of communi- scribed is only five feet more than the minimum cation with the centre of the town. dimension mentioned above, and two or three These and many more, such as the prevent feet more than the maximum dimension adopted tion of the sale of unwholesome food and by the Chinese thomselves of their own initiaunrips fruits, the enlargement and improve- tive, and the certainty is that the landlord who ment of markets, the spread of medical and has pulled down an old house with a five foot sanitary knowledge among the public, &c. back-yard and substituted it by a new house with are worthy of the immediate attention of a ten foot yard, will be no loser by the alteration the Sanitary Board and the Government, as regards rent, inasmuch as the marked imand which if properly carried out, would provement in the shape of the additional light scours health and prosperity to the Colony. and ventilation will make up for the loss of the Finally, let us also see to proper carrying five feet now transferred from the depth of the out of our already innumerable sanitary house to that of the yard where many domestic rules and regulations, and be conteut to duties which are at present carried on in the work these and the few points I have just public at rest could then be performed. Should pointed out above thoroughly, and in detail there however in certain cases of extremely small and not waste our time over unnecessary lots be actual loss by the provision of a ten foot sanitary provisions, which look well no back-yard, we have given opportunity by Clause doubt on paper, but are utterly impracticable 79 of the Bill for the special consideration of

us work at the real, the probable, and not 10.-We next come to the objection raised in strive after the imaginary and improbable. the Protest to the enforcement of Public Order According to recent reports and complaints and Cleanliness by legislative means, and to this I think we as members of the Sanitary we beg to rejoin that there are no known met. Board have quite enough in band to do hods other than the Law for giving effect to

11.—The Protest next condemns the Bill as "unconstitutional and arbitrary," because it does not provide adequate compensation in every case. The Protest does not specify what the compensation is to be given for, but we gather that

the Sanitary legislation of the mother country intended to be leased by Government for the of shares at Shanghai, and from about the Bink at Shanghai on the 17th of May, 1833, without mounts and the leased by Government for the of shares at Shanghai, and from about the Bink at Shanghai on the 17th of May, 1833, without mounts at the leased by Government for the of shares at Shanghai, and from about the Bink at Shanghai on the 17th of May, 1833, without mounts at the lease of the shares at Shanghai, and from about the Bink at Shanghai on the 17th of May, 1833, without mounts at the lease of the shares at Shanghai, and from about the Bink at Shanghai on the 17th of May, 1833, without mounts at the lease of the shares at Shanghai, and from about the Bink at Shanghai on the 17th of May, 1833, without mounts at the lease of the shares at Shanghai, and from about the lease of the shares at Shanghai, and from about the lease of the shares at the shares at the lease of the shares at the lease of the shares at th without regard to local conditions and to the building purposes after the Bill shall have 23rd of May, 1883, when Peter Madeau and 23 —The Defendant was registered at the building purposes after the Bill shall have 23rd of May, 1883, when Peter Madeau and 23 —The Defendant was registered at the building purposes after the Bill shall have dissyncracies of the Chinese. There might passed into law, the Board see n) reason why George Anton Lindsay coased to be the atter 1888. have been grounds for this remeastrance had it the minimum of open space for light and of the defendant; the said, E. H. Gory-Booth December, 1882, of 400 shares, including the 100 which will no doubt soon be done. The results of been grounds for this remeastrance had it the minimum of open space for light and of the defendant; the said, E. H. Gory-Booth December, 1882, of 400 shares, including the 100 which will no doubt soon be done. The results of the defendant; the said, E. H. Gory-Booth December, 1882, of 400 shares, including the 100 which will no doubt soon be done. The results of the defendant; the said, E. H. Gory-Booth December, 1882, of 400 shares, including the 100 which will no doubt soon be done. been a fact that we had recommended for this ventilation adopted a England should not also became the attorney of the defendant as well as the plaintiff, and 200 new shares were allotted longer trial will be necessary before if can be such to not the next of each 400 above. such is not the case, for the Public Health Bill that at the land sales this condition is made has been framed by us, by the light of our local clear to intending purchasers who would then him of the purchasers who would be per ton. experience to meet local requirements. Had we acquire their sites with their eyes open to the followed English sanitary on others more requirements of the new law. With this view Shanghai from the month of December, 1382. strictly the stringency of our recommendation is By Law has been added intended to apply to inclusive until about the 23rd of May, 1883, might then possibly have warranted the Protest future extensions of the town.

be found in the charge of inefficiency, for we hillside in place. In some instances these re fere as little as possible with private interests

positions, viz :--I.—Efficient public drainage. II -- Efficient house drainage.

sewage of the city. IV.—Sewer ventilation. V.—Increased water supply. VI.—A flotilla of steam dradgers. VII.—Provisions against earth outting.

VIII.—Reclamations and tree planting. IX.—Surface scavenging. X .- Abatement of overcrowding by the extension of the town.

XI.—Prohibition of the sale of unwholesome XII.—Market improvements. XIII.—The spread of sanitary knowledge.

XIV. - Efficient sanitary administration. the whole of these fourteen propositions the hillside.

15.—An inconsistency still more glaring is made with a view to ascertaining the number of posed to issue and which the shareholders subset for, but he was informed by the Bank that the involved in proposition XIII. After having houses actually built against the hillside, and the quently resolved should be issued in the propor- defendant had no longer 50 such shares available. been admonished throughout the Protest for aggregate area which would eventually have to tion of one new share for every two old shares. When the plaintiff made this application he was framing a Bill in accordance with modern be relinquished if all such houses when their and the holders of old shares on the Register of ready and willing to pay the first call on the medical and sanitary knowledge instead of in time for reconstruction arrived, were to be set the Corporation on the 30th December, 1882, shares and offered to do so. accordance with Chinese ideas we are now ad-back four feet.

however, been commended by him as necessary would come to \$791,096. in respect of any new building lots which may | 13.-After protracted deliberation the Board be sold by Government in the future, and we have arrived at the decision that the question have his approval of the principle. But if he of compensation for loss of area was one that approves of the provision of adequate air space | must be left to settlement to the Expentive Gofor new building-lots, as a hygienic necessity, is vernment, and the Board therefore desire to liit not again inconsistent on his part to denounce mit themselves to the recommendation that this requirement in respect of new houses to be whatever policy or line of action has been

of this opportunity very respectfully to beg the |ved in this Colony, and they tender this advice reconsideration of His Excellency the Acting confident that in following the footsteps of Eng Governor of the expediency of passing the lish Municipalities no injustice will account to Public Health Bill-with-its separate By-laws in _vested interests_ the form in which we had the honour to submit it, in lieu of in its present shape with the By. ed for them at the Land Office by the courtesy of laws incorporated in the Bill. Our recommends. Mr. Bruce Shepherd that there are about 2,200 tificates for 125 old shares of the Hongkong and tion if adopted would not retard unduly the landlords, of whom one third are either Europassage of this most necessary measure through | pean permanent absentees or natives resident on the Legislature, for so far we understand that | the much and of China, who have invested their any opposition there may be, is limited to one or money in Hougkong building operations for the two of the Bye-laws, and these might be dis- purposes of personal profit but who have not cussed with ample deliberation at any convenient otherwise the same direct interest in the maintime after the passage of the Bill

Your obedient Servants. J. M. PRICE. Patrick Manson. PH. B. C. AYBES. A. P. McEwen. T. C. Dempster. J. H. STEWART LOCKHART. Hugh McCallum.

We have the honour to be,

The Honourable F. Stewart, LL.D., Acting Colonial Secretary, &c., &c., &c. SANITARY BOARD'S LETTER SUBMITTING

PUBLIC HEALTH BILL. Sanitary Board Room. Hongkong, 22nd December, 1886.

SIR.—I am directed by the Sanitary Board to transmit von for submission to the Governor in Council the enclosed draft of a proposed Public Health Ordinance, and accompanying By-Laws which the Board have had under consideration for some months past. 2.—The Board regret they should have been

unable to place these documents in your hands at an varier date, but the length of the Bill, the variety and importance of the subjects coming under review, and the caution and deliberation to exist between the accounts of Peng Yu-lin which it was necessary to observe, more particularly in the framing of those provisions likely to affect private interests, have made the delay unavoidable.

the Board will do itself the honour of submitting the Viceroy's do. trom time to time in a supplementary form, the remaining By-Laws still to be framed in connection with the various subjects set forth in the subsections 7 to 27 of Article 13 of the Bill, but as these additional By-Laws would not be of a nature to necessitate any post ponement of the consideraview of the pressing need of sanitary reform in Supreme Court at Shanghai on the 2nd instant. | the shares were originally sold and either to pay | gold mine, I took the opportunity to look at the the ventilation and drainage of private dwellings in Victoria—that the measure in the shape now submitted may receive the early attention of Bank Shares in the month of January, 1883. Government.

4.-I am to point out that many of its more for defendant. the boby of the Bill, and have been grouped to month of January, 1883, the plaintiff purchased and accepted the shares, the contract between modern civilization, sending forth its cloud of gether in the form of By-Laws, because it was from the defendent through his attorney and the original vendor and the original purchaser black smoke. May it be the harbinger of a conceived that in this form their amendment agent one hundred shares in the Hongkong and is fully performed and the original purchaser is better day for this poverty-stricken province, so from time to time as, future experience might Shanghai Banking Corporation and fifty new relieved from all further liability in respect of rich in natural resources and in historic asdistante, would be more easily offseted than by shares in the same Hongkong and Shanghai the contracts, and the original vendor becomes sociation. any partial repeal or amendment of the Ordi- Banking Corporation to be issued in respect of liable to the ultimate purchaser and the ultimate General Le Taung Tai, the proprietor of the nance itself, and I am to express the hope that such hundred shares, and the defendant through purchaser becomes liable to the original vendor mine, was an old friend, and he received me with the course adopted by the Board in this connec- his said attorney and agent promised and agreed in all respects as if the original contract of sale | the greatest cordiality, and gave me every opportion will commend itself to the judgment of the | with the plaintiff to deliver to the plaintiff in | had been directly between the original vendor | tunity of inspecting the mine and the machinery Government inasmuch as it is justified by ample Shanghai the scrip for such fifty shares when and the ultimate purchaser for the number of with which it is now being worked. It is situated precedent in the sanitary epactments of Parlia- issued subject to the payment by the plaintiff of shares in each case so accepted by the ultimate about 120 miles south-west of Chefoo, in a low ment, as may be seen by reference to the Public | the first call due in respect of such shares; and | purchaser from the original vendor. In the trans-Health Act of 1875 (38 and 39 Vic. c. 55) where- that the plaintiff had been unable to obtain the fers executed in accordance with this practice, the northern and the southern sea. It is about 30 by it is decreed in Section 157 that every urban | sai | fifty new shares.

of tenements unfit for human occupation. city and high value of building ground from facts of which notice to admit had been served 14 to be executed by the defendant by his attor. delay. On arriving at the ground the boilers following as closely as they could have wished, on the defendant's counsel. the wise provisions now adopted by all Municipal Mr. Robinson objected to the proposed amend- which the price payable by the plaintiff was pieces of the engine and machinery set up. a Kingdom under the guidance of the Local Go. different case after he had filed his answer.

vergment Board. light and ventilation necessary to the health of Mr. Wilkinson then said that he would read the tenement be fifteen feet high the back-yard of his opening. shall be fifteen feet wide, that if the tenement be twenty-five feet high the back-yard shall be thirty-five feet high the back-yard shall be at Hongkong. least twenty-five feet wide.

Colonial Government should follow the line of back-yards at least twenty-live fact wide. The sive antil about the 23rd of May, 1883, Poter the Sist of January, 1884. action adopted by all English Municipalities of Board however has not been able to renormand Maclean and George Auton Landsay then carry. 21.—Up till the 15th of January, 1883, and were found showing that in former years this mine. late years, in their andeavours to improve the for the reason praviously given any back-yard ing on business at Shanghai as Commission after all sales of old shares carried had been energetically worked. The other shafts Barometer and the Barometer and the sales of old shares carried had been energetically worked. The other shafts Barometer and the Barometer and the sales of old shares carried had been energetically worked. The other shafts become time after all sales of old shares carried had been energetically worked. The other shafts become time after all sales of old shares carried had been energetically worked. The other shafts become time after all sales of old shares carried had been energetically worked. The other shafts become time after all sales of old shares carried had been energetically worked. The other shafts become time after all sales of old shares carried had been energetically worked. The other shafts become time after all sales of old shares carried had been energetically worked. The other shafts become time after all sales of old shares carried had been energetically worked. dwellings of the people. Whatever the policy wider than fee feet even for three storied houses chants under the name of P. Maclean & Co. were with them the right to the name of P. Maclean & Co. were with them the right to the name of P. Maclean & Co. were with them the right to the name of P. Maclean & Co. were with them the right to the name of P. Maclean & Co. were with them the right to the name of P. Maclean & Co. were with them the right to the name of P. Maclean & Co. were with them the right to the name of P. Maclean & Co. were with them the right to the name of P. Maclean & Co. were with them the right to the name of P. Maclean & Co. were with them the right to the name of P. Maclean & Co. were with them the right to the name of P. Maclean & Co. were with the name of P. Maclean & of English Municipal Authorities may be we intended to be reconstructed. This width is less the joint and several attorneys at Shoughai for issued in respect of them. No sales were made of they will produce when fully opened. The mill are sure that in England law and equity are not than one half that laid down by English muniset aside and individual interests appriliced for cipalities, notwithstanding that the tropical 4.—From the month of December, 1882, inclu-

9.—As the City of Victoria has been built on 13.—Dr. He Kai then proceeds to stigmatize a strongly marked declivity, the houses rising in the Bill as "unnecessary and inefficient," Pre- terraces or steps one above the other, have had viously the Bill was assailed on the score of its to have their foundations excavated out of the alleged severity, now it is denounced on the score steep hillside, and in many cases the back walls of its inefficiency. One or other of these con- of the basement stories have been built in juxtatradictory charges must be fullacious. If there position with the earth or with scarp walls that were any truth in either it would most probably have been thrown upon in order to retain the freely admit that we have preferred, if anything training walls themselves are found to form the to err on the side of mildress in order to inter- back wall of the house. Such basement floors being many foot below the surface of the ground 14:-The Protest next recommends the super- outside are it is needless to add extremely damp, cession of the Bill by fourteen different pro- and during the rainy season the moisture is in some instances even found to percolate through

the walls. They are also as a rule so dark that the inmates are compelled to burn lights even III .- An out-fall at Sulphur Channel for the at noon-day. Unquestionably basement dwellings under these conditions are not fit for human habitation, and as no sanitary authority could possibly countenance their perpetuation in Board have provided in the Bill that in new Purchaser, J. A. Taylor, Esq.; 50 Hongkong error in three figures, the numbers in the transsecented caper, 25,989 lbs. scented orange pekos. space of four feet open to the sky shall be left Hongkong), cum all div. bonus and new shares numbers of the 100 old shares before mentioned between the hillside and the house. 10.—For the purposes of adequate ventilation

and for the arrest of damp so narrow a space as, four feet might not perhaps be deemed sufficient by a rigid sanitarian, but again in the consideration of this question the same difficulty which beset that of the minimum width of back-yards It is asserted that if the foregoing propositions stepped in, and in view of the undue sacrifice of are adopted the health and prosperity of the property that would have attended the adoption Colony will be secured. But long before this of a wider space, the Board after careful deli-Protest was penned, the Bill which we have beration were constrained to adopt as narrow a drafted had already provided either directly or margin as four feet for the minimum width of by Bye-law for the realization of nearly clear area to be left between the house walls and bought and sold notes issued by him for such

or such of them as require legislative sanc- 11.—The next question that came under con- Seller, Messrs. P. McLean & Co.; Purchaser, tion. Dr. Ho Kai assisted at our mest-sideration was whether such landlords as would J. A. Taylor, Esq.; 75 Hougkong Bank shares ings, took part in our discussions and was be debarred hereafter from building or recon- at 168 per coup. promium (from Hongkong), cum aware that we sought to give effect under the structing their-houses against the hillside, that all div. benus and new shares; delivery 31st 27.—The defendant was aware that it was the authority of the Bill to the programme which is to say, such landlords as contemplated the per- December, 1832, payment on delivery. Commis- practice to execute such transfers in blank and he has reproduced. Practically therefore we retustion of dwellings manifestly unfit for hu- sion 2 per cent, i/a Messrs. P. M. & Co. for approved of such practice. may say that the Protest winds up by advocat- man habitation, should be compensated for the Hongkong. ing the adoption of the self same provisions so loss of area involved in the new rule, and before 10.—The new shares mentioned were shares applied to the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank inconsistently condemned in the preceding arriving at a final decision on this point the Directors of the Hongkong and Corporation at Shanghai for the 50 new shares

vised to spread medical and sanitary knowledge | 12.—The examination revealed the fact that in Victoria there were a large number of houses 16.—Dr. Ho Kai objects chiefly, as we have so circumstanced, that the area to be relinquish-

lowed at home of late years in the improvem ..

17.—In conclusion we desire to avail ourselves of the dwellings of the people should be ob-

14.—The Board find from the Returns prepartenance of the health of the community as the regular inhabitants of Victoria.

15.—I am to transmit you the enclosed protest against the Bill from the pen of Dr. Ho Kai a member of the Board .- I have the honour to be, Sir, your most obedient servant,

HUGH McCallum, Secretary. The Honourable F. Stewart, LL.D., Acting | Colonial Secretary.

. CANTON.

TROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

His Excellency Chang Chih-tung, the Viceroy, has petitioned the Emperor for permission to resign his office. The reason given by His Excellency is sickness. The petition was refused, but one month's leave of absence is granted to enable him to recruit his health.

Rumour assigns a different cause for His Excellency's wish to resign the cares of Government. It is reported that two Commissionershave been despatched to Canton to enquire as to a difference of more than four million taels said and those of the Viceroy. Peng, as your readers will remember, was Imperial Military Commissioner here for two years, up to May, 1886, 3.—Even now the By-Laws proposed to be and his accounts, so the tale goes, show four made under the Bill are far from completed, and million table more in the treasury chest than

A SHARE CASE AT SHANGHAI.

The case of Robert Hough, of Shanghai, v. William Legge, of Hongkong, came on in the to pay to the original condor the price of which tour to visit the neighbourhood of the Ping Tu The claim was for Tls. 3,500, damages for to or receive from the original purchaser the dif. | first gold mine in China worked by foreign apnon-delivery of 50 new Hongkong and Shanghai | ference, in each case deducting or receiving as | pliances. Having been accustomed for so many

important provisions have been detached from | The plaintiff's petition set out that in the and the ultimate purchaser has paid for the tall smokepipe, which marks the steps of

authority may make By-Laws with respect to The answer of the defendant denied that the for such transfer the price payable by the ulti- on the north. The mine is under the general the structure, sewerage, and closet accommoda- defendant had ever sold the said shares (either | mate purchaser. tion of dwelling-houses, to the sufficiency of space old or new) to the plaintiff, and said :- "I allege 18.-Accordingly in settling the accounts be- two practical miners and a business agent. The about buildings in order to secure ventilation that the plaintiff has never been able to satisfy tween defendant and J. A. Taylor and between outfit consists of a twenty-stamp quartz mill, and a free circulation of air, and to the closing me that he was lawfully entitled to claim the J. A. Taylor and the plaintiff, E. H. Gore-Booth with eight large separators for collecting and said scrip for 50 new shares or any part thereof received from the plaintiff the price agreed by retaining the pyrites, all of the latest and best 5.—I am to state briefly that as regards the from me, and that, although he knew in Novem- him to be paid for the 100 shares, and, having construction. The mill is driven by a Myers drainage and sewerage of tenements, the Bill ber, 1883, and again in April, 1884, that I could also received from A. L. M. Monoriell the price cut-off engine 14 by 24in. with two steel has been drafted in the general lines of the not understand, and questioned his right to de- agreed by him to be paid for the 25 shares, he boilers. The outlit was furnished by the municipal sanitary legislation of England, but mand from me the scrip for 50 new shares which paid in to the account of P. Maclean & Co. for Union Iron Works of San Francisco, and was Manila ... that under the important head of space and he then claimed and now claims, he has for a the plaintiff the price at which he had originally brought out and set up by Mr. A. M. Ellsworth. ventilation in dwelling-houses, the Board re- period of three years past or thereabouts re- sold the 50 and 75 shares making up the 125 It reached the small port of Tai Ping Wan,

His Lordship said he thought there was no of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Cor- Under the energetic superintendence of Mr. 6.—The By-Laws of the Local Government precedent for such an amendment as was pro-Board prescribe that every tenement shall have posed at the present stage of the proceedings. the transfer were deposited in that Bank.

The application must be refused.

the inmates, and it is further provided that if to the Court the statement of the facts as part -The following is the statement:-

Gore-Booth and from about the 23rd of May, shares purchased and sold by the defendant at agency of E. H. Gore-Booth alone 6.—On the 16th of December, 1882, E.

Gore-Booth sold for the defendant in the usual course under instructions received from G. Lindsay fifty shares of the Hongkong and the transfers were expressed to be for so many Shanghai Banking Corporation with new shares new shares in respect of shares numbered so bonus and dividend to James Alexander Taylor, a bill broker and dealer in shares at Shangbai, for delivery on the 31st of December, 1832, from Hongkong (as hereinafter explained). 7.-The following is a copy of the entry made by E. H. Gore Booth in the counterfoil of the order signed by the defendant by his afterney

Dated 16th Dec., 1882. delivery. Commission & per cent, i/a Messrs. P. The following is a copy of the order:-

8.—On the 13th of December, 1882, E H. The Manager, Gore-Booth sold for the defendant in the usual course, seventy five shares in the Hongkong and 9.—The following is a copy of the entry made | first call. by E. H. Gore-Booth in the counterfeil of the shares :- No. 30 H., dated 18th December, 1882.

Board caused an examination of the City to be Shanghai Banking Corporation had then pro- to which he was entitled by the order and trans-

nentioned whenever such scrip or share certifi- respect of the 100 shares before mentioned. cates should be issued by the corporation.

able on the maturity of Bills drawn in Hongkong at the date named in the bought and sold notes after the word delivery.

the defendant transmitted to Shanghai the cer-| Shanghai Banking Corporation of which he was the registered owner drawing upon P. Maclean & Co. for the price of them, and these certificates were deposited in the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank at Shanghai in the name of the defendant. 15.—On or about the 12th of January, 1883, before the 125 old shares mentioned in the 6th, Banking Corporation at Shanghai in respect of 7th, 8th, and 9th paragraphs had been delivered!or paid for J. A Taylor instructed E. H. Gore-Booth to sell 125 shares in the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation with new shares bonus and dividend for him, and in accordance with such instructions E. H. Gore-Booth sold 100 old shares with new shares bonus and dividend to the plaintiff and 25 shares with new shares bonus and dividend to A. L. M. Monerieff. 16.—The following is a copy of the bought note made out by E. H. Gore-Booth for the 100

shares sold to the plaintiff. No. 55 H. Shanghai, 21st January, 1883.

R. Hough, Esq. DEAR SIR,-I have this day bought on your account from J. A. Taylor, Esq. 100 Bank shares at 182 per cent ex. 73. Cum all div. bonus and new shares. Delivery at once. Payment usual. Yours truly.

(Sd.) E. H. GORE-BOOTH. at the time agreed upon for the delivery in the menced original contract of the purchase, not to procure timate purchaser, and if there are different ul. | tion when the court rose. timate purchasers to procure the delivery or transfer to each of such ultimate purchasers of the number of shares purchased by him, to receive from the ultimate purchaser the price agreed to be paid by him for the shares purchased by him, the case may be commission due to him; and years to find nothing amongst these barren Mr. Wilkinson for the plaintiff; Mr Robinson | when the original vendor has received pay. | Shantung hills save rude Chinese villages, it ment for executing a transfer of the shares seemed like a new inspiration when my eyes met

poration stating that the shares mentioned in Ellsworth all this was accomplished, and the a copy of this transfer.

20.—This transfer for the 100 shares was ac- the start off. The people in the country round No cepted and afterwards executed by the plaintiff, seem to be generally pleased with the openand was on the 21st of March. 18-3, registered ing of the mine, and wish it every success. 1.—The defendant is and for many years past at the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Getting the ore to the surface and delivering it twenty feet wide, and that if the tenement be has been a sharebroker and a dealer in shares at Corporation at Shanghai, and the shares of which to the mill gives work to over six hundred people the numbers were specified in such transfer of the neighbourhood. There are four shafts or 2.—During the years 1882 and 1883 and for remained thereafter registered in the plaintiff's openings from which ore is being taken, but by

the public good, without due indomnity for no elimate of Hongkong would seem to exact a more sive until about the 23rd of May, 1883. E. H. fer for the old shares on the 15th of January. Gore-Booth, who then was and ever since has 1883, the new shares of the Hongkong and 12.—We next come to the expostulation against 8.—But with regard to such entirely new been a sharebroker at Shanghai, was the broker Shanghai Banking Corporation had not been the copying—for application at Hongkong—of houses as may be prected on vacant lands usually supployed on behalf of the defendant for issued. Such shares were first registered at the neath. If fully opened the original shaft alone could be supplyed on behalf of the defendant for issued. Such shares were first registered at the neath. If fully opened the original shaft alone could be supplyed on behalf of the defendant for issued. Such shares were first registered at the neath. If fully opened the original shaft alone could be such as the same of the defendant for issued. Such shares were first registered at the neath. If fully opened the original shaft alone could be such as the same of the defendant for issued.

on the application of the parties claiming them and the costly foreign superintendence. It is to on production of the proper title or authority be hoped that the results will justify the outlay, were usually sold through the agency of the and on payment of the first call. In the case of and yield such a profit as will lead to the opening sail P. Maclean and G. A. Lindsay and E. H. persons other than the registered owners of the of mines in other places. old shares in respect of which the new shares 1883, until the beginning of the year 1884 the had been allotted and to whom they had been allotted, the title and authority required was an ing up this mine. He has obtained from the Shanghai were purchased and sold through the order from the registered owner for the delivery of so many new shares and transfer deed for the H. same number of new shares. Such transfer contain the numbers of the new shares, and

and so, giving the numbers of the old shares, or say, without filing in the name of the transferse. 25.-The plaintiff accordingly obtained an bought and sold notes issued by him for such | G. A. Lindsay for 50 new shares and a transfer deed signed by the defendant by his attorney G. A. Lindsay for 50 new shares in respect of 100 shares of which the numbers are given in Seller, Messra P. McLean & Co. as agents. such transfer deed With the exception of an

Shanghai, 8th May, 1383. Hongkong & Shanghai Bank. 1882, from Hongkong (as hereinafter explained). for same executed by me, and payment of the

Yours faithfully,

WILLIAM LEGGE, by his Attorney (Sd.) G. A. LINDSAY. 26.—Schedule B. hereunto annexed is a copy

of the transfer deed. 28.—The plaintiff in the month of June, 1833,

were entitled to have new shares allotted to them | 29 -Orders signed on behalf of the defendant in respect of such old shares in that proportion. had already been presented to the bank for 179 11.—Until the certificates for such new shares shares and these shares had been appropriated had been issued a contract for the sale of old in accordance with such orders. There theresaid before, to the provision of adequate open ed would be 118,642 square feet, and that the shares with new was a contract to deliver the fore remained only 21 shares which were afterspace about buildings in order to secure the compensation to the owners for such relinquish. share certificates for the old shares at the parti- wards appropriated to other orders signed on free circulation of air. This provision has, ment assessed at current leasehold estate values | cular time named and the scrip or share certific | behalf of the defendant, and the plaintiff has cates for the new shares in the proportion above never received any of the 50 new shares in

30.—The plaintiff on the refusal of the Bank 12.—Shares sold at Shanghai and expressed to to give him the 50 shares applied to E. H. be from Hongkong are intended to be deliver. Gore-Booth, who wrote to the plaintiff as follows able in Shanghai and the price therefor pay- on the 30th of June, 1887: -

Manghai Club. DEAR HOUGH, -Lindsay tells me that he will 13.—And in the usual course of business the look into it at once. In the meantime pay the old) shares mentioned in the 6th, 7th, 8th, and first call on 50 in case they should lapse and we It is a great state of the price will try to worry out this business. It is a great therefor payable in Shanghai about the middle pity that you did not take them up at once. Some error has been made either here or in of the month of January, 1883.

14.—On or about the 29th of December, 1882. Hongkeng.

(Sd.) E. H. Gore-Booth. 1 31.-In accordings with the suggestion conof in this letter who plaint if on the same day, the 30th June, 1883, gave to E. H. Goreof the first call on the 50 slures, and this sum the 24th of June, 1884, when it was passed to the credit of the plaintiff's account by order of E. H. Gore Booth. 33.-The plaintiff afterwards frequently applied to E. H. Gore-Booth for the 50 shares and E. H. Gore-Booth informed both G. A. Lindsay and the defendant of these applications and

urged that the defendant should deliver 50 shares to the plaintiff. 33.—The plaintiff moreover on or about the 7th of November, 1883, wrote to the defendant to Hongkong demanding payment. On receiving this letter the defendant sent the following tele-

gram dated the 25th of January, 1884. "To Mynorgh, Shanghai. being then in Shanghai, the plaintiff again wrote to him demanding the 50 shares, but the Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited

17.-It is the practice of sharebrokers at defendant left Shanghai without making any chase of shares in a particular undertaking for March, 1887, the defendant being again in delivery at a future date, if before the shares are | Shanghai, plaintiff's counsel wrote to him on delivered they receive instructions from the pur- | behalf of the plaintiff demanding compensation chaser to sell and acting upon such instructions for non-delivery of the shares, and on the dedo sell shares in the same undertaking for delivery fendant's refusal the present suit was com-

Mr. Wilkinson said he relied on a substituted the delivery or transfer of the shares from the contract, and cited a number of cases to show original vendor to the original purchaser and that in transactions of this nature a man is Hongkong and Macao Glass Manufacturing Co. again from the original purchaser to the ultimate | bound by the oustom or usage of the market. purchaser, but to procure the delivery or trans. The evidence of a clerk from the Bank was then fer direct from the original purchaser to the ul- taken, and Mr. Gore-Booth was under examina-

GOLD MINING IN CHINA.

Having had occasion in the course of a short

it is the practice to insert as the consideration | miles in a direct line from the Gulf of Peh-chili

grets to have to report that it has been debarred frained from prosecuting his alleged claim at shares and paid to J. A. Taylor the difference, thirty miles from the mine, in November, and food deducting his commission in each case, and pro- had to be transported on carts to the spot. A shan which the city is built, by the small depths in Mr. Wilkinson applied to amend the petition cured a transfer for 100 out of 125 shares sent road had been prepared and carts provided, so will the dimensions of existing lots, and by the scar- by the addition thereto of a statement of up by the defendant as mentioned in paragraph that the transfer was made without difficulty or vosted ney G. A. Lindsay in favour of the plaintiff in had to be rivetted together, and other heavy -Authorities and Health Boards in the United ment on the ground that it presented a totally stated as the consideration for the transfer. On building erected, and the whole plant put in stated as the consideration for the transfer. the transfer was a memorandum signed on behalf order—all in the midst of a Shantung winter. mill puftin successful operation on the 26th of 19.—Schedule A hereunto annexed contains March. A great concourse of people of all ranks from far and near were present to see sh

graph 13 of the letter of the Board addressed to 7.—In Hongkong, native tenemont, ar gene- some time prior therto the defendant was in the name until the let of February, 1884, when a far the largest part as well as the best ore comes you on the 22nd of December 18st wherein we rally three storied and would therefore in achieve the month of December 1882, inclunative description of the instant of the previous day, is now 120 feet deep and is fairly well developed.

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> forts will be made to develop the mine under-General Le is deserving of no small credit for the entorprising spirits he has shown in open-

government the right to open mines of all kinds in Shantung, which right will be a privilege or a burden according as his efforts are profitable deeds executed before the 17th of May could not for otherwise. Considerable prospecting has been done in various parts of the province, but nothing is yet determined upon as to the opening of other mines. The opening of mines of coal and iron would be more profitable to the country simply for so many new shares. Such transfer than gold, but these cannot be successfully doeds were usually executed in blank, that is to operated without railroads to facilitate transportation .- Mercury Correspondent.

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

TUESDAY, 7th June EXPORT CARGOES.

Per steamship Rosetta, sailed on the 2nd June: -For London-144,172 lbs. congon, 233,690 lbs. Bank shares at 167 per cent. premium (from fer deed for the new shares coincide with the 7,680 lbs. sorts, 26 cases silk piece goods, 26 bales waste silk, and II packages sits it as. For delivery 31st December 1892; payment usual on transferred by the defendant to the plaintiff. France-334 bales fine silk, and 2 cases silk piece

Per steamship Telemachus, sailed on the 3rd June:-For. London-88,357 lbs. congon, 3,573 lbs. sorts, 111,342 lbs. scented caper, 42,339 lbs. DEAR SIR,—Please deliver to the order of scented orange pakee, 10 packages sandries, 10 Shanghai Banking Corporation with new shares Robert Hough scrip for fifty (50) new shares in cases silks, 30 bales waste silk, and 180 packages bonus and dividend to the said James Alexander | the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, from those palm-leaf fans. From Manila-2 cases cigars, Taylor for delivery on the 31st of December, allotted to me, on presentation of a transfer deed 2,000 bales hemp, and 67 bags coffee. From

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per share, sales. "Will be north shortly and confer Hough. Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$60 per share sellers. 34.—On the 18th April, 1884, the defendant Hongkong Ice Company's Shares-\$51 per -5110 per share.

Shanghai, when they have negotiated the pur- settlement in respect of them. On the 15th of Perak Tin Mining and Smelting Company --\$20 per share. Puniom and Sunghie Dua Samantan Mining Company, Limited-\$15 per share, fully paid up sellors. Perak Sugar Cultivation Company-Tls. 18 per

Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company, Limited—\$35 per share. Limited-60 per cent. discount. S. Watson & Co., Limited-60 per cent premium, buyers. Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co. Limited-39 per cent. prem., buyers. Singaporo Insurance Company, Limited-\$18 | downwards, and so have all planters. per share.

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